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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Continuation-In-Part Application of:)
Inventors: John BUTLER et al.) Group Art Unit: Not Yet Assigned
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For: A WOUND RETRACTOR)
SYSTEM)

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Sir:

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 3 of this paper.

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